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Memorandum

TO : Mr. L'Allier

DATE: February 14, 1961

FROM : S. J. Papich

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The captioned individual recently presented a TV show concerning the political situation in Cuba. Since then he has initiated a program dealing with "Dynamics of Communism." The Internal Security Section was interested in establishing the nature and extent of Central Intelligence Agency's (CIA) relationship with [Burke] (S). The following information was furnished to the Liaison Agent on February 10, 1961, by Steve Kuhn and Mrs. Jane Roman of CIA.

[Burke] has never been an employee of CIA. In the past the Agency has utilized him on a contract basis when [Burke] was in the position to develop positive intelligence information during the course of his foreign travels. He is not controlled by CIA and the Agency is in no way involved with his TV programs. [Burke] (S) is currently employed by the Metropolitan Broadcasting Company.

[Burke] recently called on CIA and inquired if he could be furnished material for his program on "Dynamics of Communism." (S) CIA made available to him unclassified material such as pamphlets and certain books. CIA does not possess any derogatory information concerning [Burke] (S). No data has been received by the Agency indicating that he is a Soviet Agent or that he is acting on behalf of the Communist Party, U.S.A.

ACTION:

The above information is being directed to the attention of the Internal Security Section.

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